

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend page 27, paragraph [0057], lines 12 to 13, of the present specification as follows:

[0057] (6) Thermal shrinking rate

A sample cut in a square is placed in a constant-moisture vessel of 20°C/65% RH for 24 hours and then longitudinal and transverse sizes (L1, L2) are measured. After that, said sample is kept under the condition of 105°C for 30 minutes and longitudinal and transverse sizes are measured again (L3, L4). From those measured values, calculation is done by the following formula:

$$\text{Thermal shrinking rate [\%]} = \{(L1 + L2) - (L3 + L4)\} / (L1 + L2) \times 100$$